

“You are Fearfully and Wonderfully Made”

Genesis 1:26-2:3

“I am made in the image of God”

Principles of creation:

1. We were created in God’s image

Principles of the Trinity:

God is one

Deuteronomy 6:4, 5 “Hear O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength.”

God is three

God is diversity

God is unity

Four words that help us see what it means to be created in God’s image:

Our: personality, sexuality, morality, spirituality

“I am an image bearer of God.”

Isaiah 44:2 “I am your creator – you were in my care even before you were born.”

2. We were created to rule – to change culture.

The Church and God’s people should be building a counterculture.

God calls us to do more than critique culture – God calls us to change culture.

3. We were created to work and rest.

Mark 2:27 “The Sabbath was made to benefit man, and not man to benefit the Sabbath.”

How do I keep the Sabbath day holy?

By using it the way God intended.

God desires that you rest your body. God wants you to recharge your emotions.

Include time for quietness. Include time for family. Include time for fellowship.

God desires that you refocus your spirit.

Psalms 95:6 “Come let us bow down in worship before the Lord our maker.”